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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of  
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THOMPSON, and JEFFREY T. ZYWICKI for "SYSTEM FOR CREATING AND  
MAINTAINING A DATABASE OF INFORMATION UTILIZING USER OPINIONS".

**X** Applicants claims small entity status in accordance with 37  
CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are an acknowledgment postcard and:

- (1) Specification (173 pages total)
  - (a) (41) Claims -- 8 independent, 33 dependent (5 multiply)
- (2) Declaration and Power of Attorney
- (3) One Hundred Twenty-Four (124) Sheets Of Drawings

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